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In re application of : **Confirmation No. 8680**
Masaru NONOMURA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2005_0057A
Serial No. 10/523,196 : Group Art Unit 1793
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METHOD, APPARATUS AND PROGRAM : **Mail Stop: AF**
OF THERMAL ANALYSIS, HEAT
CONTROLLER AND HEATING FURNACE
USING THE METHOD

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 7, 2009, please amend the above-referenced
U.S. patent application as follows: